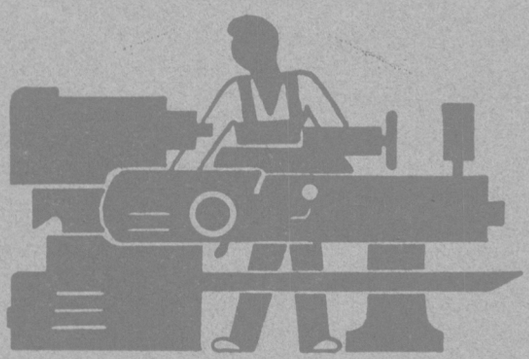
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

1. Except where otherwise specified, employment estimates contained in this Bulletin are obtained from three main sources, viz.,

   (a) monthly data as to persons employed in factories as shown at Annual Factory Censuses;

   (b) current monthly returns from Governmental Bodies; and

   (c) current monthly Pay-roll Tax returns.

   There are also some other direct records of monthly employment (e.g., for hospitals).

   These are supplemented by estimates of the number of employees outside the ambit of the Factory Census, Governmental Bodies and Pay-roll Tax returns. Monthly numbers of factory employees subsequent to June, 1959 are estimated and are subject to revision when the Factory Censuses for 1959-60 and ensuing years are tabulated.

2. All figures in this Bulletin are compiled on an establishment or enterprise basis, and therefore do not cover exactly the same area of industry as do the relevant industry tabulations of the General Censuses of 1947 and 1954, which are based on the returns of individual employees.

3. The purpose of the estimates of employment in this Bulletin is to measure, as nearly as may be with available data, current monthly trends in employment in the defined field. Industry groups herein are not identical in coverage with Census groups.

4. The terms "Employment", "Number Employed", "Employees" and "Wage Earners" used herein are synonymous with, and relate to, "Wage and Salary Earners" on pay-rolls or "in employment" in the latter part of each month as distinct from numbers of employees actually working on a specific date. They include persons employed part-time.

5. Pay-roll Tax returns at present are lodged by all employers paying more than £200 a week in wages (other than certain Commonwealth Government Bodies, religious and benevolent institutions, public hospitals and other similar organizations specifically exempted under the Pay-roll Tax Assessment Act 1941-1957). This Act, when originally introduced in 1941, required employers paying wages of more than £20 a week to lodge returns. The exemption limit was raised to £80 a week from 1st October, 1953 and to £120 a week from 1st September, 1954. The present exemption limit of £200 a week was introduced as from 1st September, 1957.

PREFACE

The figures relating to employment published in this Bulletin are estimates. From Bulletin No. 195, February, 1958, the series of estimated employment in "factories" shown in previous issues was replaced (commencing with the month of July, 1948) by a series showing actual monthly employment in factories as recorded at successive annual Censuses of Factories to June, 1957, with interim estimates for subsequent months. Adoption of this new series entailed adopting also new series for "Total Manufacturing", "Total Private Employment" and "Total Employment" for Males, Females and Persons, in all tables affected.

Since then the interim estimates have been replaced by actual numbers of factory employees as the results of successive annual Censuses of Factories to June, 1959 have become available. Substitution of Factory Census figures each year entails consequential revisions in the interim estimates for subsequent months.

Call-ups for short periods of National Service Training occurred between July, 1951 and November, 1959, and other variations occur in numbers of personnel in the Services. These are shown in item 4 below and in Table 4, page 3.

TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestics)

(Thousands)

	1959		1960				
	June	July	March	April	May	June	July
MALES							
1. In Private Employment	1493.7	1494.9	1538.6	1538.8	1543.9	1549.9	1552.9
In Governmental Employment (a) -							
Commonwealth Government Bodies -							
Defence Group (b)	30.0	29.9	29.9	30.0	30.0	29.5	29.4
Other	142.7	143.0	144.9	144.8	144.5	144.6	144.4
State Government Bodies	391.3	390.4	387.9	387.4	386.7	386.2*	385.5
Local Government Bodies	69.9	70.1	72.3	72.4	72.7	73.0	72.7
2. Total Governmental	633.9	633.4	635.0	634.6	633.9	633.3*	632.0
3. Grand Total in Civilian Employment	2127.6	2128.3	2173.6	2173.4	2177.8	2183.2*	2184.9
4. Defence Forces (Permanent, in Australia and Overseas)(c)	49.9	49.2	46.4	46.3	46.2	45.9	45.8
5. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces (c)	2177.5	2177.5	2220.0	2219.7	2224.0	2229.1*	2230.7
FEMALES							
1. In Private Employment	669.1	670.1	702.5	701.0	705.8	707.1	708.2
In Governmental Employment (a) -							
Commonwealth Government Bodies -							
Defence Group (b)	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4
Other	40.5	41.0	41.8	41.6	41.4	41.2	41.6
State Government Bodies	90.1	90.2	94.0	94.4	94.9	95.3	95.0
Local Government Bodies	7.0	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.4
2. Total Governmental	143.9	144.5	149.5	149.7	150.0	150.2	150.4
3. Grand Total in Civilian Employment	813.0	814.6	852.0	850.7	855.8	857.3	858.6
4. Defence Forces (Permanent, in Australia and Overseas)	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
5. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces	814.8	816.4	853.8	852.5	857.6	859.1	860.4
PERSONS							
1. In Private Employment	2162.8	2165.0	2241.1	2239.8	2249.7	2257.0	2261.1
In Governmental Employment (a) -							
Commonwealth Government Bodies -							
Defence Group (b)	36.3	36.2	36.3	36.4	36.4	35.9	35.8
Other	183.2	184.0	186.7	186.4	185.9	185.8	186.0
State Government Bodies	481.4	480.6	481.9	481.8	481.6	481.5*	480.5
Local Government Bodies	76.9	77.1	79.6	79.7	80.0	80.3	80.1
2. Total Governmental	777.8	777.9	784.5	784.3	783.9	783.5*	782.4
3. Grand Total in Civilian Employment	2940.6	2942.9	3025.6	3024.1	3033.6	3040.5*	3043.5
4. Defence Forces (Permanent, in Australia and Overseas) (c)	51.7	51.0	48.2	48.1	48.0	47.7	47.6
5. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces (c)	2992.3	2993.9	3073.8	3072.2	3081.6	3088.2*	3091.1

(a) Includes employees of Semi-Governmental Bodies. (b) Comprises employees of the Departments of Air, Army, Navy, Defence and Supply. (c) Prior to December, 1959, includes National Service Trainees in camp. * Revised.

1. GENERAL SUMMARY

TABLE 1 - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES : AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestics)

(Thousands)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
July	2,099.0	2,128.3	2,184.9	794.5	814.6	858.6	2,893.5	2,942.9	3,043.5
August	2,097.5	2,128.8		795.1	815.3		2,892.6	2,944.1	
September	2,098.9	2,135.3		796.5	820.9		2,895.4	2,956.2	
October	2,103.0	2,138.5		798.3	825.2		2,901.3	2,963.7	
November	2,111.3	2,145.5		803.9	835.1		2,915.2	2,980.6	
December	2,106.7	2,147.9		804.0	836.6		2,910.7	2,984.5	
January	2,109.7	2,154.5		799.9	834.3		2,909.6	2,988.8	
February	2,120.7	2,166.6		810.6	845.9		2,931.3	3,012.5	
March	2,123.5	2,173.6		813.2	852.0		2,936.7	3,025.6	
April	2,127.2	2,173.4		812.8	850.7		2,940.0	3,024.1	
May	2,127.7	2,177.8		813.2	855.8		2,940.9	3,033.6	
June	2,127.6	*2,183.2		813.0	857.3		2,940.6	3,040.5*	

* Revised.

TABLE 2 - DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA

(Permanent Defence Forces in Australia and Overseas (a))

(Thousands)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
July	47.2	49.2	45.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	49.0	51.0	47.6
August	48.8	49.6		1.8	1.8		50.6	51.4	
September	48.8	49.6		1.8	1.8		50.6	51.4	
October	47.6	47.9		1.9	1.8		49.5	49.7	
November	45.2	46.3		1.9	1.8		47.1	48.1	
December	45.2	46.0		1.8	1.8		47.0	47.8	
January	49.8	46.3		1.9	1.8		51.7	48.1	
February	50.3	46.5		1.8	1.8		52.1	48.3	
March	47.2	46.4		1.8	1.8		49.0	48.2	
April	46.3	46.3		1.8	1.8		48.1	48.1	
May	50.1	46.2		1.8	1.8		51.9	48.0	
June	49.9	45.9		1.8	1.8		51.7	47.7	

(a) Prior to December, 1959, includes National Service Trainees in camp.

TABLE 3 - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES (a) : AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestics)

(Thousands)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
July	2,146.2	2,177.5	2,230.7	796.3	816.4	860.4	2,942.5	2,993.9	3,091.1
August	2,146.3	2,178.4		796.9	817.1		2,943.2	2,995.5	
September	2,147.7	2,184.9		798.3	822.7		2,946.0	3,007.6	
October	2,150.6	2,186.4		800.2	827.0		2,950.8	3,013.4	
November	2,156.5	2,191.8		805.8	836.9		2,962.3	3,028.7	
December	2,151.9	2,193.9		805.8	838.4		2,957.7	3,032.3	
January	2,159.5	2,200.8		801.8	836.1		2,961.3	3,036.9	
February	2,171.0	2,213.1		812.4	847.7		2,983.4	3,060.8	
March	2,170.7	2,220.0		815.0	853.8		2,985.7	3,073.8	
April	2,173.5	2,219.7		814.6	852.5		2,988.1	3,072.2	
May	2,177.8	2,224.0		815.0	857.6		2,992.8	3,081.6	
June	2,177.5	*2,229.1		814.8	859.1		2,992.3	*3,088.2	

(a) Prior to December, 1959, includes National Service Trainees in camp.
* Revised.

TABLE 4 - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestics)

(Thousands)

Month	Civilian Employees (excluding Rural Industry and Female Private Domestics)									Defence Forces (b)
	Males			Females			Persons			
	Governmental Bodies (a)	Private Employment	Total	Governmental Bodies (a)	Private Employment	Total	Governmental Bodies (a)	Private Employment	Total	
1947 June	472.0	1177.4	1649.4	92.1	527.5	619.6	564.1	1704.9	2269.0	54.0
1948 June	494.0	1236.9	1730.9	94.9	549.1	644.0	588.9	1786.0	2374.9	39.3
1949 June	522.7	1280.3	1803.0	100.2	569.6	669.8	622.9	1849.9	2472.8	33.3
1950 June	554.3	1323.1	1877.4	107.7	587.9	695.6	662.0	1911.0	2573.0	33.7
1951 June	571.2	1370.1	1941.3	113.9	614.8	728.7	685.1	1984.9	2670.0	44.3
1952 June (c)	578.4	1362.9	1941.3	115.3	572.1	687.4	693.7	1935.0	2628.7	69.4
1953 June	567.8	1354.2	1922.0	112.0	570.3	682.3	679.8	1924.5	2604.3	67.4
1954 June	581.4	1408.9	1990.3	114.5	605.2	719.7	695.9	2014.1	2710.0	62.1
1955 June	599.1	1450.6	2049.7	122.8	629.1	751.9	721.9	2079.7	2801.6	59.8
1956 June	604.9	1477.3	2082.2	129.8	643.6	773.4	734.7	2120.9	2855.6	59.3
1957 June	609.5	1475.9	2085.4	132.8	647.4	780.2	742.3	2123.3	2865.6	47.9
1958 June	621.8	1476.1	2097.9	136.6	655.9	792.5	758.4	2132.0	2890.4	50.1
1959 June	633.9	1493.7	2127.6	143.9	669.1	813.0	777.8	2162.8	2940.6	51.7
1960 June	*633.3	1549.9	*2183.2	150.2	707.1	857.3	*783.5	2257.0	*3040.5	47.7
1957 December	609.0	1472.7	2081.7	132.1	660.5	792.6	741.1	2133.2	2874.3	46.3
1958 January	611.9	1475.7	2087.6	132.7	657.1	789.8	744.6	2132.8	2877.4	50.6
February	614.5	1478.6	2093.1	136.3	662.8	799.1	750.8	2141.4	2892.2	50.6
March	616.4	1480.7	2097.1	136.7	664.8	801.5	753.1	2145.5	2898.6	47.8
April	618.8	1478.9	2097.7	136.4	659.7	796.1	755.2	2138.6	2893.8	46.4
May	620.8	1477.7	2098.5	136.3	658.6	794.9	757.1	2136.3	2893.4	50.1
June	621.8	1476.1	2097.9	136.6	655.9	792.5	758.4	2132.0	2890.4	50.1
July	621.7	1477.3	2099.0	137.7	656.8	794.5	759.4	2134.1	2893.5	49.0
August	620.6	1476.9	2097.5	137.5	657.6	795.1	758.1	2134.5	2892.6	50.6
September	620.7	1478.2	2098.9	137.6	658.9	796.5	758.3	2137.1	2895.4	50.6
October	621.5	1481.5	2103.0	137.6	660.7	798.3	759.1	2142.2	2901.3	49.5
November	622.8	1488.5	2111.3	137.8	666.1	803.9	760.6	2154.6	2915.2	47.1
December	622.8	1483.9	2106.7	137.1	666.9	804.0	759.9	2150.8	2910.7	47.0
1959 January	627.1	1482.6	2109.7	138.6	661.3	799.9	765.7	2143.9	2909.6	51.7
February	631.2	1489.5	2120.7	143.0	667.6	810.6	774.2	2157.1	2931.3	52.1
March	632.0	1491.5	2123.5	143.4	669.8	813.2	775.4	2161.3	2936.7	49.0
April	633.6	1493.6	2127.2	143.7	669.1	812.8	777.3	2162.7	2940.0	48.1
May	634.4	1493.3	2127.7	143.6	669.6	813.2	778.0	2162.9	2940.9	51.9
June	633.9	1493.7	2127.6	143.9	669.1	813.0	777.8	2162.8	2940.6	51.7
July	633.4	1494.9	2128.3	144.5	670.1	814.6	777.9	2165.0	2942.9	51.0
August	632.6	1496.2	2128.8	144.2	671.1	815.3	776.8	2167.3	2944.1	51.4
September	631.6	1503.7	2135.3	144.2	676.7	820.9	775.8	2180.4	2956.2	51.4
October	630.0	1508.5	2138.5	144.3	680.9	825.2	774.3	2189.4	2963.7	49.7
November	630.6	1514.9	2145.5	144.7	690.4	835.1	775.3	2205.3	2980.6	48.1
December	630.1	1517.8	2147.9	143.5	693.1	836.6	773.6	2210.9	2984.5	47.8
1960 January	631.3	1523.2	2154.5	143.7	690.6	834.3	775.0	2213.8	2988.8	48.1
February	634.2	1532.4	2166.6	148.6	697.3	845.9	782.8	2229.7	3012.5	48.3
March	635.0	1538.6	2173.6	149.5	702.5	852.0	784.5	2241.1	3025.6	48.2
April	634.6	1538.8	2173.4	149.7	701.0	850.7	784.3	2239.8	3024.1	48.1
May	633.9	1543.9	2177.8	150.0	705.8	855.8	783.9	2249.7	3033.6	48.0
June	*633.3	1549.9	*2183.2	150.2	707.1	857.3	*783.5	2257.0	*3040.5	47.7
July	632.0	1552.9	2184.9	150.4	708.2	858.6	782.4	2261.1	3043.5	47.6

(a) Includes all employees of Governmental Bodies (Commonwealth, State, Local and Semi-Governmental) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education, broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees, within Australia. (b) Includes members of Permanent Defence Forces in Australia and overseas and, from July, 1951 to November, 1959, National Service Trainees in camp. Non-enlisted personnel are included to June, 1956. (c) See Preface on page 1 as to the effects of fluctuations in the numbers of Defence Forces and National Service Trainees since July, 1951. * Revised.

TABLE 5 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

STATES AND TERRITORIES

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestics and Defence Forces)(a)

(Thousands)

State or Territory	June, 1954	June, 1955	June, 1956	June, 1957	June, 1958	June, 1959	July, 1959	June, 1960	July, 1960
MALES									
New South Wales	771.3	794.1	808.3	810.2	813.9	819.0	818.6	845.1	846.1
Victoria	556.8	576.2	583.2	586.0	592.9	603.4	603.7	*620.4	620.7
Queensland	269.6	278.2	282.4	282.6	282.8	287.8	288.4	290.6	291.5
South Australia	176.8	180.8	187.9	186.4	186.0	192.0	192.3	196.8	196.4
Western Australia	139.1	141.5	140.5	138.4	138.6	140.0	140.1	141.7	141.9
Tasmania	63.6	65.1	65.7	66.0	67.0	67.6	67.4	69.3	69.1
Northern Territory	4.9	4.8	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.9	6.0	6.3	6.4
Aust.Cap.Territory	8.2	9.0	9.0	10.0	11.1	11.9	11.8	13.0	12.8
Australia:	1990.3	2049.7	2082.2	2085.4	2097.9	2127.6	2128.3	2183.2*	2184.9
FEMALES									
New South Wales	284.3	297.4	305.9	309.3	314.4	320.4	321.5	339.6	340.2
Victoria	222.1	232.4	238.5	240.4	244.5	252.8	253.0	266.3	266.8
Queensland	88.6	92.1	93.7	95.8	95.9	97.9	98.4	101.8	101.9
South Australia	56.6	59.8	62.5	62.4	63.4	65.9	66.0	69.9	70.1
Western Australia	43.4	44.3	45.1	44.5	45.6	47.0	47.0	49.1	49.2
Tasmania	21.2	21.8	23.2	22.9	23.5	23.3	22.9	24.2	24.0
Northern Territory	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.6
Aust.Cap.Territory	2.6	3.1	3.3	3.7	3.9	4.3	4.4	4.8	4.8
Australia:	719.7	751.9	773.4	780.2	792.5	813.0	814.6	857.3	858.6
PERSONS									
New South Wales	1055.6	1091.5	1114.2	1119.5	1128.3	1139.4	1140.1	1184.7	1186.3
Victoria	778.9	808.6	821.7	826.4	837.4	856.2	856.7	*886.7	887.5
Queensland	358.2	370.3	376.1	378.4	378.7	385.7	386.8	392.4	393.4
South Australia	233.4	240.6	250.4	248.8	249.4	257.9	258.3	266.7	266.5
Western Australia	182.5	185.8	185.6	182.9	184.2	187.0	187.1	190.8	191.1
Tasmania	84.8	86.9	88.9	88.9	90.5	90.9	90.3	93.5	93.1
Northern Territory	5.8	5.8	6.4	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.4	7.9	8.0
Aust.Cap.Territory	10.8	12.1	12.3	13.7	15.0	16.2	16.2	17.8	17.6
Australia:	2710.0	2801.6	2855.6	2865.6	2890.4	2940.6	2942.9	3040.5*	3043.5

(a) Prior to December, 1959 excludes also National Service Trainees in camp.
* Revised.

TABLE 6 - CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OF GOVERNMENTAL BODIES (a), JULY, 1960.

STATES AND TERRITORIES

(Thousands)

State or Territory	Commonwealth Govt. (b)						State Govt. (b)		Local Govt.		Total Governmental (b)		
	Defence Group		Other		Total								
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	P
New South Wales	9.2	1.5	49.1	14.6	58.3	16.1	134.8	31.0	29.5	3.3	222.6	50.4	273.0
Victoria	13.5	3.6	38.6	11.5	52.1	15.1	102.1	29.5	14.0	2.0	168.2	46.6	214.8
Queensland	1.1	0.1	17.5	4.9	18.6	5.0	55.9	9.4	19.6	1.1	94.1	15.5	109.6
South Australia	4.4	0.8	14.0	3.1	18.4	3.9	39.7	12.7	3.5	0.4	61.6	17.0	78.6
Western Australia	0.6	0.1	9.2	2.3	9.8	2.4	38.3	8.1	3.7	0.4	51.8	10.9	62.7
Tasmania	0.1	0.1	4.8	1.3	4.9	1.4	14.7	4.3	2.3	0.2	21.9	5.9	27.8
Northern Territory	-	-	3.2	0.9	3.2	0.9	-	-	0.1	-	3.3	0.9	4.2
Aust.Cap.Territory	0.5	0.2	8.0	3.0	8.5	3.2	-	-	-	-	8.5	3.2	11.7
Total: July, 1960	29.4	6.4	144.4	41.6	173.8	48.0	385.5	95.0	72.7	7.4	632.0	150.4	782.4
Total: June, 1960	29.5	6.4	144.6	41.2	174.1	47.6	386.0	95.3	73.0	7.3	633.1	150.2	783.3

(a) See note (a) to Table 4 on previous page. (b) Includes employees of Semi-Governmental Bodies.

II. EMPLOYMENT IN INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

TABLE 7 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

STATES - JULY, 1960

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestics and Defence Forces)

(Thousands)

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (a)
MALES							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	8.0	5.3	5.6	1.9	2.3	2.1	25.4
Mining and Quarrying	22.7	4.7	9.4	1.7	7.6	2.9	49.5
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	343.1	265.7	86.2	79.6	40.6	23.3	838.5
Other (c)	29.1	20.2	11.1	3.0	2.5	1.0	69.2
Total Manufacturing:	372.2	285.9	97.3	82.6	43.1	24.3	907.7
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.)	73.4	50.6	36.8	19.1	13.6	8.8	206.7
Road Transport	38.1	22.8	15.2	7.4	4.8	2.6	91.3
Shipping and Stevedoring	15.6	10.6	7.9	5.3	5.3	2.4	47.2
Rail and Air Transport	36.5	22.0	21.4	9.1	10.2	2.4	102.1
Communication	27.0	20.2	10.0	6.6	4.9	2.3	71.5
Property and Finance (incl. Banks, etc.)	29.0	22.2	9.4	6.2	4.3	1.7	73.2
Retail Trade	53.0	40.2	15.9	13.1	10.8	3.7	137.5
Wholesale and Other Commerce	53.6	45.8	22.6	15.1	14.2	4.8	156.6
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	38.4	29.1	12.4	8.6	7.5	3.9	105.7
Other Industries (d)	78.6	61.3	27.6	19.7	13.3	7.2	210.5
TOTAL MALES:	846.1	620.7	291.5	196.4	141.9	69.1	2184.9
FEMALES							
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	117.1	104.5	17.6	17.8	6.3	5.5	268.8
Other (c)	1.4	2.5	2.9	0.2	0.9	-	8.2
Total Manufacturing:	118.5	107.0	20.5	18.0	7.2	5.5	277.0
Rail and Air Transport	3.7	2.1	1.2	0.6	0.4	0.1	8.2
Other Transport (incl. Shipping, etc.)	4.8	4.3	2.0	1.2	0.6	0.3	13.3
Communication	7.3	5.4	2.7	1.9	1.0	1.0	19.4
Property and Finance (incl. Banks, etc.)	23.1	15.3	5.8	4.0	2.7	1.1	52.2
Retail Trade	49.1	36.6	17.8	13.2	11.8	4.2	133.4
Wholesale and Other Commerce	19.4	14.1	7.3	4.1	3.3	1.1	49.5
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	11.8	8.0	4.8	2.0	2.3	1.2	32.1
Other Industries (d)	102.5	74.0	39.8	25.1	19.9	9.5	273.5
TOTAL FEMALES:	340.2	266.8	101.9	70.1	49.2	24.0	858.6
PERSONS							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	8.0	5.4	5.6	1.9	2.4	2.1	25.6
Mining and Quarrying	23.0	4.8	9.7	1.8	7.8	3.0	50.6
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	460.2	370.2	103.8	97.4	46.9	28.8	1107.3
Other (c)	30.5	22.7	14.0	3.2	3.4	1.0	77.4
Total Manufacturing:	490.7	392.9	117.8	100.6	50.3	29.8	1184.7
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.)	76.1	52.3	37.5	19.6	13.9	8.9	212.7
Road Transport	41.8	26.4	16.9	8.3	5.2	2.8	101.9
Shipping and Stevedoring	16.7	11.3	8.2	5.6	5.5	2.5	49.9
Rail and Air Transport	40.2	24.1	22.6	9.7	10.6	2.5	110.3
Communication	34.3	25.6	12.7	8.5	5.9	3.3	90.9
Property and Finance (incl. Banks, etc.)	52.1	37.5	15.2	10.2	7.0	2.8	125.4
Retail Trade	102.1	76.8	33.7	26.3	22.6	7.9	270.9
Wholesale and Other Commerce	73.0	59.9	29.9	19.2	17.5	5.9	206.1
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	50.2	37.1	17.2	10.6	9.8	5.1	137.8
Other Industries (d)	178.1	133.4	66.4	44.2	32.6	16.5	476.7
TOTAL PERSONS:	1186.3	887.5	393.4	266.5	191.1	93.1	3043.5

For notes see page 8.

TABLE 8 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestics and Defence Forces(h))

(Thousands)

Industrial Group	June, 1959	July, 1959	April, 1960	May, 1960	June, 1960	July, 1960
MALES						
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	25.1	25.1	25.2	25.2	25.3	25.4
Mining and Quarrying -						
Gold Mining	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7
Silver, Lead and Zinc Mining	9.0	9.0	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8
Coal Mining	21.5	21.3	21.5	21.5	21.4	21.4
Other Mining and Quarrying	11.6	11.6	12.1	12.3	12.4	12.6
Total Mining and Quarrying	49.1	48.9	49.2	49.3	49.3	49.5
Manufacturing, etc. -						
Factories (b)	805.6	807.6	830.7	833.5	836.5	838.5
Other (c)	68.0	67.9	69.5	69.3	69.2	69.2
Total Manufacturing	873.6	875.5	900.2	902.8	905.7	907.7
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.) -						
Building (Privately employed) (e)	84.5	84.4	85.5	85.9	86.8	87.7
Other (f)	120.7	120.0	119.5	119.4	*119.8	119.0
Total Building and Construction	205.2	204.4	205.0	205.3	*206.6	206.7
Transport and Communication -						
Road Transport	88.8	88.4	90.7	91.2	91.4	91.3
Shipping and Stevedoring	48.1	48.7	46.8	46.5	47.0	47.2
Rail and Air Transport	104.8	104.8	102.3	102.2	102.1	102.1
Communication	70.9	71.1	71.6	71.6	71.5	71.5
Total Transport and Communication	312.6	313.0	311.4	311.5	312.0	312.1
Property and Finance, (including Banks and Insurance)	68.8	68.9	72.7	72.8	73.1	73.2
Commerce -						
Wholesale Trade	128.6	128.3	132.8	132.8	133.1	132.7
Primary Produce Agencies	24.1	23.3	24.8	24.8	24.9	23.9
Retail Trade	133.6	133.6	136.2	137.6	137.3	137.5
Total Commerce	286.3	285.2	293.8	295.2	295.3	294.1
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	105.4	105.3	105.8	106.1	105.7	105.7
Other -						
Law and Order	23.5	23.9	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.8
Religion and Social Welfare	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5
Health Services	28.3	28.3	28.8	28.8	29.0	29.1
Education	49.1	49.1	52.4	52.6	52.7	52.8
Other Professional Services	15.5	15.8	16.6	16.7	16.9	16.8
Amusement, Sport and Recreation	19.4	19.6	20.8	20.3	20.4	20.6
Personal Service (g)	54.3	53.9	55.3	55.0	54.9	54.9
Total Other	201.5	202.0	210.1	209.6	210.2	210.5
TOTAL:	2127.6	2128.3	2173.4	2177.8	2183.2*	2184.9
FEMALES						
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Mining and Quarrying	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Manufacturing, etc. -						
Factories (b)	248.9	249.1	264.6	266.6	268.1	268.8
Other (c)	7.9	7.9	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2
Total Manufacturing	256.8	257.0	272.7	274.7	276.2	277.0
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.)	5.6	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.0
Transport and Communication -						
Road Transport	9.9	9.9	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.6
Shipping and Stevedoring	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
Rail and Air Transport	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2
Communication	19.7	19.6	19.9	19.6	19.5	19.4
Total Transport and Communication:	40.3	40.2	41.2	41.0	40.9	40.9

For notes see page 8. * Revised.

TABLE 8 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS
AUSTRALIA (continued)
(Thousands)

Industrial Group	June, 1959	July, 1959	April, 1960	May, 1960	June, 1960	July, 1960
FEMALES (continued)						
Property and Finance (including Banks and Insurance)	48.0	48.0	51.9	51.9	52.1	52.2
Commerce -						
Wholesale Trade	41.5	41.4	43.2	43.3	43.2	43.4
Primary Produce Agencies	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.1
Retail Trade	126.5	126.4	131.5	133.7	133.1	133.4
Total Commerce	173.8	173.6	180.6	183.0	182.5	182.9
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	30.7	31.2	31.2	31.4	31.4	32.1
Other -						
Law and Order	11.0	11.0	11.5	11.6	11.7	11.6
Religion and Social Welfare	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Health Services	87.6	88.3	90.7	91.2	91.5	91.4
Education	60.8	61.2	64.6	64.8	64.9	64.7
Other Professional Services	10.8	10.9	11.5	11.3	11.5	11.6
Amusement, Sport and Recreation	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.3	9.2	9.3
Personal Service (g)	68.3	68.2	69.5	69.3	69.1	68.6
Total Other	256.5	257.6	265.9	266.5	266.9	266.2
TOTAL:	813.0	814.6	850.7	855.8	857.3	858.6
PERSONS						
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	25.3	25.3	25.4	25.4	25.5	25.6
Mining and Quarrying -						
Gold Mining	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.8
Silver, Lead and Zinc Mining	9.3	9.3	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1
Coal Mining	21.7	21.5	21.7	21.7	21.6	21.6
Other Mining and Quarrying	12.1	12.1	12.6	12.8	12.9	13.1
Total Mining and Quarrying	50.2	50.0	50.3	50.4	50.4	50.6
Manufacturing, etc. -						
Factories (b)	1054.5	1056.7	1095.3	1100.1	1104.6	1107.3
Other (c)	75.9	75.8	77.6	77.4	77.3	77.4
Total Manufacturing	1130.4	1132.5	1172.9	1177.5	1181.9	1184.7
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.) -						
Building (Privately employed) (e)	87.5	87.5	88.8	89.3	90.2	91.1
Other (f)	123.3	122.6	122.1	122.0	*122.4	121.6
Total Building and Construction	210.8	210.1	210.9	211.3	*212.6	212.7
Transport and Communication -						
Road Transport	98.7	98.3	101.2	101.7	101.9	101.9
Shipping and Stevedoring	50.7	51.3	49.5	49.2	49.7	49.9
Rail and Air Transport	112.9	112.9	110.4	110.4	110.3	110.3
Communication	90.6	90.7	91.5	91.2	91.0	90.9
Total Transport and Communication	352.9	353.2	352.6	352.5	352.9	353.0
Property and Finance (including Banks and Insurance)	116.8	116.9	124.6	124.7	125.2	125.4
Commerce -						
Wholesale Trade	170.1	169.7	176.0	176.1	176.3	176.1
Primary Produce Agencies	29.9	29.1	30.7	30.8	31.1	30.0
Retail Trade	260.1	260.0	267.7	271.3	270.4	270.9
Total Commerce	460.1	458.8	474.4	478.2	477.8	477.0
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	136.1	136.5	137.0	137.5	137.1	137.8
Other -						
Law and Order	34.5	34.9	36.2	36.3	36.5	36.4
Religion and Social Welfare	20.4	20.4	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5
Health Services	115.9	116.6	119.5	120.0	120.5	120.5
Education	109.9	110.3	117.0	117.4	117.6	117.5
Other Professional Services	26.3	26.7	28.1	28.0	28.4	28.4
Amusement, Sport and Recreation	28.4	28.6	29.9	29.6	29.6	29.9
Personal Service (g)	122.6	122.1	124.8	124.3	124.0	123.5
Total Other:	458.0	459.6	476.0	476.1	477.1	476.7
TOTAL:	2940.6	2942.9	3024.1	3033.6	*3040.5	3043.5

For notes see page 8. * Revised.

NOTES TO TABLES 7 and 8

(a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

(b) The figures shown represent the actual monthly employment in factories as recorded at successive annual Censuses of Factories to June, 1959 with interim estimates for subsequent months. In this connexion, a factory is defined as an industrial establishment in which four or more persons are employed, or in which power, other than manual, is used. The employees covered are those engaged in manufacturing activities and exclude those engaged in selling and distribution, etc. The estimated numbers of employees in factories for the period July, 1948 to January, 1958 (shown in issues of this Bulletin up to No. 194) were based on Pay-roll Tax returns. This series was replaced as from July, 1948 in Bulletin No. 195 (February 1958) and subsequent Bulletins by the Factory Census series referred to above.

(c) Includes employees in industrial establishments outside the scope of the definition of a factory (given in (a) above) and persons employed by factory proprietors but engaged in selling and distribution, etc., who are excluded from figures shown opposite "Factories". Includes employees in factories in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

(d) Includes Law and Order, Religion and Social Welfare, Health, Education, Other Professional Services, Amusement, Sport, etc., and Personal Service, (Hotels, Restaurants, etc., excluding female private domestics). In respect of females only, also includes Forestry, Fishing, etc., Mining, Building and Construction.

(e) Includes persons employed on private building, and employees of private employers contracting to public bodies, on construction, alteration, maintenance and repair of buildings.

(f) Includes employees engaged in the construction and maintenance of roads, bridges, earthworks, etc., and employees directly employed by public bodies on the construction and maintenance of buildings.

(g) Includes Hotels, Restaurants, Hairdressing and Other Personal Services (except female private domestics).

(h) Prior to December, 1959, excludes also National Service Trainees in camp.

III. EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

By joint arrangement between the Secretary of the Department of Labour and National Service and the Commonwealth Statistician, a regular monthly survey of employment in the larger privately-owned factories of New South Wales and Victoria was instituted in January, 1952. Practically all private factories with 100 or more employees and a large section of those with between 50 and 100 employees were surveyed. The survey was extended to cover all States with effect from January, 1953.

The instruction as to employees to be included in the returns was as follows:- "The number of persons employed is to include all persons on the establishment of the factory who are engaged in the factory or on the factory office staff, providing their employment is directly related to manufacture", and further "..... the number of males and females (separately) employed in the specified factory or mill. These figures are to include factory office staff, but are to exclude selling and distribution staff". The figures obtained relate to the numbers on the pay-roll as at the last pay-day in the month.

The survey was instituted to provide an earlier indication of trend of private factory employment, month by month, than is available from any other source, and in fact the trends shown in employment in these larger private factories are broadly consonant with those shown in estimates of total private factory employment, derived from Pay-roll Tax Returns, for the period for which comparisons are available.

Employment in food-processing factories is subject to considerable seasonal variation. In view of this circumstance, the movements in "all factories excluding food factories" are given equal prominence in the tables with those in "all factories surveyed".

An industrial analysis, showing movements in each of eight broad groups, is given in Table 13 . In continuation of the earlier practice, this table is confined to the five mainland States. Figures for Tasmania cannot be incorporated into this table in the same detail because of the risk of disclosure of individual factory particulars.

TABLE 9 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

SIX STATES

Period (End of Month)	Employment in all Factories surveyed			Percentage movement since previous month		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1959 - July	412,147	126,466	538,613	+ 0.3	+ 0.2	+ 0.3
August	412,434	127,048	539,482	+ 0.1	+ 0.5	+ 0.2
September	414,613	128,472	543,085	+ 0.5	+ 1.1	+ 0.7
October	415,369	130,098	545,467	+ 0.2	+ 1.3	+ 0.4
November	415,396	130,464	545,860	-	+ 0.3	+ 0.1
December	414,759	130,653	545,412	- 0.2	+ 0.1	- 0.1
1960 - January	418,107	132,500	550,607	+ 0.8	+ 1.4	+ 1.0
February	421,077	135,367	556,444	+ 0.7	+ 2.2	+ 1.1
March	423,144	136,644	559,788	+ 0.5	+ 0.9	+ 0.6
April	423,093	134,987	558,080	-	- 1.2	- 0.3
May	425,473	135,735	561,208	+ 0.6	+ 0.6	+ 0.6
June	427,352	136,689	564,041	+ 0.4	+ 0.7	+ 0.5
July	429,118	136,998	566,116	+ 0.4	+ 0.2	+ 0.4
August	429,085	137,342	566,427	-	+ 0.3	+ 0.1

TABLE 10 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

STATES

State	Employment in all Factories surveyed					Percentage movement in employment	
	1959		1960			June, 1960 - July, 1960	July, 1960 - August, 1960
	July	August	June	July	August		
MALES							
New South Wales	170,369	170,816	178,124	178,441	179,019	+ 0.2	+ 0.3
Victoria	124,196	124,377	130,016	130,310	131,128	+ 0.2	+ 0.6
Queensland	42,989	42,466	41,014	42,305	41,009	+ 3.1	- 3.1
South Australia	42,875	43,004	45,445	45,228	45,187	- 0.5	- 0.1
Western Australia	17,416	17,494	17,969	18,105	18,225	+ 0.8	+ 0.7
Tasmania	14,302	14,277	14,784	14,729	14,517	- 0.4	- 1.4
TOTAL:	412,147	412,434	427,352	429,118	429,085	+ 0.4	-
FEMALES							
New South Wales	53,753	54,015	58,639	58,960	59,036	+ 0.5	+ 0.1
Victoria	47,690	47,981	50,876	50,844	51,120	- 0.1	+ 0.5
Queensland	8,341	8,380	8,914	9,036	9,179	+ 1.4	+ 1.6
South Australia	9,187	9,242	10,113	10,056	10,194	- 0.6	+ 1.4
Western Australia	3,473	3,488	3,454	3,444	3,434	- 0.3	- 0.3
Tasmania	4,022	3,942	4,693	4,658	4,379	- 0.7	- 6.0
TOTAL:	126,466	127,048	136,689	136,998	137,342	+ 0.2	+ 0.3
PERSONS							
New South Wales	224,122	224,831	236,763	237,401	238,055	+ 0.3	+ 0.3
Victoria	171,886	172,358	180,892	181,154	182,248	+ 0.1	+ 0.6
Queensland	51,330	50,846	49,928	51,341	50,188	+ 2.8	- 2.2
South Australia	52,062	52,246	55,558	55,284	55,381	- 0.5	+ 0.2
Western Australia	20,889	20,982	21,423	21,549	21,659	+ 0.6	+ 0.5
Tasmania	18,324	18,219	19,477	19,387	18,896	- 0.5	- 2.5
TOTAL:	538,613	539,482	564,041	566,116	566,427	+ 0.4	+ 0.1

TABLE 11 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES, EXCLUDING FOOD FACTORIES

SIX STATES

Period (End of Month)	Employment in all Factories surveyed, except Food Factories			Percentage movement since previous month		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1959 - July	355,085	110,111	465,196	+ 0.1	+ 0.5	+ 0.2
August	356,118	110,704	466,822	+ 0.3	+ 0.5	+ 0.3
September	358,090	111,730	469,820	+ 0.6	+ 0.9	+ 0.6
October	359,301	112,686	471,987	+ 0.3	+ 0.9	+ 0.5
November	360,731	112,958	473,689	+ 0.4	+ 0.2	+ 0.4
December	361,365	112,767	474,132	+ 0.2	- 0.2	+ 0.1
1960 - January	364,892	112,770	477,662	+ 1.0	-	+ 0.7
February	366,439	114,592	481,031	+ 0.4	+ 1.6	+ 0.7
March	368,708	115,883	484,591	+ 0.6	+ 1.1	+ 0.7
April	369,494	116,507	486,001	+ 0.2	+ 0.5	+ 0.3
May	371,022	117,467	488,489	+ 0.4	+ 0.8	+ 0.5
June	372,195	118,748	490,943	+ 0.3	+ 1.1	+ 0.5
July	373,134	119,383	492,517	+ 0.3	+ 0.5	+ 0.3
August	374,232	119,987	494,219	+ 0.3	+ 0.5	+ 0.3

TABLE 12 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES, EXCLUDING FOOD FACTORIES

STATES

State	Employment in all Factories surveyed, excluding Food Factories					Percentage movement in employment	
	1959		1960			June, 1960-	July, 1960-
	July	August	June	July	August	July, 1960	August, '60
MALES							
New South Wales	155,087	155,701	162,648	163,168	163,766	+ 0.3	+ 0.4
Victoria	108,588	108,793	114,269	114,685	115,202	+ 0.4	+ 0.5
Queensland	24,856	24,898	25,441	25,578	25,538	+ 0.5	- 0.2
South Australia	39,290	39,404	41,916	41,716	41,631	- 0.5	- 0.2
Western Australia	15,075	15,113	15,535	15,606	15,672	+ 0.5	+ 0.4
Tasmania	12,189	12,209	12,386	12,381	12,423	-	+ 0.3
TOTAL:	355,085	356,118	372,195	373,134	374,232	+ 0.3	+ 0.3
FEMALES							
New South Wales	47,802	48,032	52,217	52,590	52,659	+ 0.7	+ 0.1
Victoria	42,026	42,357	44,785	44,944	45,258	+ 0.4	+ 0.7
Queensland	6,635	6,582	7,012	7,088	7,131	+ 1.1	+ 0.6
South Australia	7,931	7,999	8,858	8,855	8,994	-	+ 1.6
Western Australia	2,682	2,697	2,653	2,664	2,638	+ 0.4	- 1.0
Tasmania	3,035	3,037	3,223	3,242	3,307	+ 0.6	+ 2.0
TOTAL:	110,111	110,704	118,748	119,383	119,987	+ 0.5	+ 0.5
PERSONS							
New South Wales	202,889	203,733	214,865	215,758	216,425	+ 0.4	+ 0.3
Victoria	150,614	151,150	159,054	159,629	160,460	+ 0.4	+ 0.5
Queensland	31,491	31,480	32,453	32,666	32,669	+ 0.7	-
South Australia	47,221	47,403	50,774	50,571	50,625	- 0.4	+ 0.1
Western Australia	17,757	17,810	18,188	18,270	18,310	+ 0.5	+ 0.2
Tasmania	15,224	15,246	15,609	15,623	15,730	+ 0.1	+ 0.7
TOTAL:	465,196	466,822	490,943	492,517	494,219	+ 0.3	+ 0.3

TABLE 13 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES : FIVE MAINLAND STATES
INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

Industrial Group	Employment in Factories Surveyed (5 States)				Percentage Movement in employment	
	August, 1959	June, 1960	July, 1960	August, 1960	June, 1960 - July, 1960	July, 1960 - August, '60
MALES						
1. Building Materials	35,989	37,086	37,299	37,438	+ 0.6	+ 0.4
2. Basic Metals	46,469	49,062	49,398	49,726	+ 0.7	+ 0.7
3. Transportation Equipment	60,515	65,405	65,697	66,152	+ 0.4	+ 0.7
4. Other Metal Manufactures	94,203	99,287	99,442	99,967	+ 0.2	+ 0.5
5. Chemicals and Allied Products	22,150	22,684	22,479	22,252	- 0.9	- 1.0
6. Clothing and Textiles	32,488	32,776	32,598	32,606	- 0.5	-
7. Food, Drink and Tobacco	54,248	52,759	53,636	52,759	+ 1.7	- 1.6
8. All Other	52,095	53,509	53,840	53,668	+ 0.6	- 0.3
Total - All Groups	398,157	412,568	414,389	414,568	+ 0.4	-
Total - Excluding Food, etc.	343,909	359,809	360,753	361,809	+ 0.3	+ 0.3
FEMALES						
1. Building Materials	3,162	3,399	3,394	3,373	- 0.1	- 0.6
2. Basic Metals	2,924	3,136	3,203	3,243	+ 2.1	+ 1.2
3. Transportation Equipment	5,808	6,436	6,600	6,694	+ 2.5	+ 1.4
4. Other Metal Manufactures	24,440	28,068	28,088	28,041	+ 0.1	- 0.2
5. Chemicals and Allied Products	5,052	5,001	4,968	4,995	- 0.7	+ 0.5
6. Clothing and Textiles	52,470	54,829	55,062	55,377	+ 0.4	+ 0.6
7. Food, Drink and Tobacco	15,439	16,471	16,199	16,283	- 1.7	+ 0.5
8. All Other	13,811	14,656	14,826	14,957	+ 1.2	+ 0.9
Total - All Groups	123,106	131,996	132,340	132,963	+ 0.3	+ 0.5
Total - Excluding Food, etc.	107,667	115,525	116,141	116,680	+ 0.5	+ 0.5

IV. UNEMPLOYMENT

TABLE 14 - NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT (a) : STATES

NOTE: - The figures in this table are as furnished by the Department of Social Services.

Month	N.S.W. (b)	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A. (c)	W.A.	Tas.	Australia		
							Males	Females	Persons
1953 June	14,629	5,939	3,677	655	691	323	21,552	4,362	25,914
1954 June	2,810	1,203	1,657	79	225	109	4,360	1,723	6,083
1955 June	1,042	319	964	70	239	45	1,670	1,009	2,679
1956 June	2,325	1,412	1,270	319	1,606	71	5,395	1,608	7,003
1957 June	6,242	5,073	2,851	1,054	2,441	410	14,324	3,747	18,071
1958 June	11,703	6,899	4,905	2,267	3,005	639	22,051	7,367	29,418
1959 June	12,092	6,013	4,477	1,337	2,939	670	19,691	7,837	27,528
1960 June	5,625	3,676	3,064	1,383	2,293	500	11,399	5,142	16,541
1959 - April	12,269	5,136	5,057	1,264	2,652	446	19,471	7,353	26,824
May	12,158	5,643	5,631	1,321	2,674	497	20,067	7,857	27,924
June	12,092	6,013	4,477	1,337	2,939	670	19,691	7,837	27,528
July	12,569	6,339	3,008	1,449	3,279	798	19,299	8,143	27,442
August	10,927	6,012	2,608	1,415	2,993	932	17,532	7,355	24,887
September	9,262	5,281	2,902	1,232	2,670	816	15,577	6,586	22,163
October	7,862	4,302	3,121	1,163	2,436	714	13,654	5,944	19,598
November	6,975	3,727	4,502	1,120	2,113	600	13,337	5,700	19,037
December	7,403	4,044	6,814	1,124	2,538	546	16,890	5,579	22,469
1960 - January	7,876	3,946	7,765	1,159	2,638	397	18,054	5,727	23,781
February	6,595	3,263	6,472	994	2,325	371	14,522	5,498	20,020
March	6,033	3,254	5,356	1,040	2,073	286	12,562	5,480	18,042
April	6,030	3,588	4,306	1,327	2,084	352	12,215	5,472	17,687
May	5,736	3,768	3,382	1,380	2,075	424	11,475	5,290	16,765
June	5,625	3,676	3,064	1,383	2,293	500	11,399	5,142	16,541
July	5,192	3,531	1,843	1,422	2,322	587	10,081	4,816	14,897
August	4,470	3,052	2,059	1,183	1,977	590	8,947	4,384	13,331

(a) Number on benefit at last Saturday of month. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory.

V. AVERAGE EARNINGS AND RATES OF WAGE

TABLE 15 - AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL WAGES PAID AND AVERAGE EARNINGS (a)

The following figures are derived from employment and wages recorded on Pay-roll Tax returns, from other direct collections and from estimates of the unrecorded balance. Pay of members of the Defence Forces is not included. The figures are not seasonally adjusted. A seasonally adjusted quarterly index of average wage earnings is shown in Table 16.

Period	N.S.W. (b)	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A. (c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL WAGES PAID (£'000)							
1953-54	16,480	11,767	5,227	3,615	2,754	1,305	41,148
1954-55	17,970	12,901	5,601	3,940	2,928	1,399	44,739
1955-56	19,764	14,144	6,033	4,330	3,104	1,521	48,896
1956-57	20,943	14,925	6,457	4,507	3,177	1,635	51,644
1957-58	21,664	15,510	6,585	4,635	3,284	1,671	53,349
1958-59	22,414	16,240	6,970	4,823	3,347	1,725	55,519
1959-60	24,692	*18,160	7,383	5,414	3,621	1,870	*61,140
1957-58 -							
March Quarter	20,630	14,789	6,091	4,480	3,116	1,653	50,759
June "	21,995	15,831	6,764	4,668	3,350	1,778	54,386
1958-59 -							
September Quarter	22,129	15,827	6,983	4,777	3,392	1,648	54,756
December "	23,601	16,970	7,387	4,984	3,494	1,798	58,234
March "	21,185	15,377	6,501	4,599	3,122	1,666	52,450
June "	22,740	16,787	7,010	4,930	3,381	1,790	56,638
1959-60 -							
September Quarter	23,445	17,397	7,364	5,270	3,537	1,756	58,769
December "	25,351	18,442	7,558	5,443	3,693	1,883	62,370
March "	23,761	17,680	7,031	5,308	3,489	1,832	59,101
June "	26,213	*19,120	7,578	*5,634	3,764	2,009	*64,318
AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT (£) (d)							
1953-54	16.69	16.64	14.98	15.87	15.59	15.78	16.26
1954-55	17.64	17.59	15.58	16.83	16.11	16.54	17.13
1955-56	18.92	18.78	16.49	17.88	16.92	17.75	18.28
1956-57	19.89	19.70	17.50	18.28	17.48	18.79	19.16
1957-58	20.44	20.22	17.94	18.68	18.05	18.95	19.67
1958-59	21.04	20.69	18.64	19.10	18.19	19.33	20.19
1959-60	22.71	22.34	19.71	20.70	19.52	20.71	21.74
1957-58 -							
March Quarter	19.43	19.14	16.76	18.01	17.10	18.58	18.68
June "	20.70	20.49	18.22	18.79	18.30	19.76	19.93
1958-59 -							
September Quarter	20.83	20.52	18.53	19.17	18.50	18.61	20.05
December "	22.11	21.85	19.72	19.89	18.97	20.22	21.23
March "	19.88	19.44	17.50	18.14	16.95	18.53	19.03
June "	21.32	20.97	18.78	19.20	18.33	19.96	20.44
1959-60 -							
September Quarter	21.91	21.72	19.60	20.39	19.19	19.82	21.15
December "	23.41	22.80	20.30	20.91	19.91	20.97	22.28
March "	21.72	21.58	18.89	20.18	18.78	20.08	20.92
June "	23.78	23.24	20.04	21.31	20.17	21.95	22.60

(a) Includes salaries. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory. (d) Total wages as above divided by total civilian employment expressed in male units. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings. The same ratio has been used in each State and because the average ratio of female to male earnings may vary between States precise comparisons between average earnings in different States cannot be made on the basis of the figures above. * Revised.

NOTE:- Comparisons as to trend should be made for complete years or corresponding periods of incomplete years. Quarterly totals and averages are affected by seasonal influences.

TABLE 16 - INDEXES OF AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE EARNINGS (a) : AUSTRALIA

(Base of each Index : Year 1953-54 = 100)

New Series - Seasonally Adjusted

Period	All Industries (b)	Manufacturing (c)	Period	All Industries (b)	Manufacturing (c)
1947-48	47.5	48.0	1957-58 -		
1948-49	53.9	54.3	March Quarter	121.3	122.3
1949-50	59.3	60.0	June "	122.3	123.6
1950-51	71.1	72.0	1958-59 -		
1951-52	87.1	88.4	Sept. "	123.5	124.1
1952-53	95.2	95.4	Dec. "	124.5	125.9
1953-54	100.0	100.0	March "	124.2	125.3
1954-55	105.4	106.9	June "	125.5	126.6
1955-56	112.2	113.8	1959-60 -		
1956-57	118.2	118.3	Sept. "	129.6	130.9
1957-58	121.3	122.0	Dec. "	130.5	131.8
1958-59	124.4	125.5	March "	135.3	136.5
1959-60	133.4	134.4	June "	138.1	138.5

(a) Includes salaries.

(b) Average earnings per male unit employed. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings. The "All Industries" index is based on Pay-roll Tax returns and other data.

(c) The index for manufacturing industries for the years 1947-48 to 1958-59 is based on the average earnings of male wage and salary earners employed in factories as disclosed by annual Factory Censuses. The figures for periods subsequent to June, 1959 are interim estimates based on Pay-roll Tax returns and are subject to revision when the Factory Census for 1959-60 is tabulated.

NOTE:- The index numbers for "All Industries" and "Manufacturing" show the movement in average earnings over a period of time. However, they do not give, at any point of time, a comparison of actual earnings in the two groups.

TABLE 17 - MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES

INDUSTRIAL GROUPS (a), 31st JULY, 1960

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excl. Overtime), as prescribed in Awards, Determinations, etc. and Index Numbers of Wage Rates.

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.
	RATES OF WAGE (b)						
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Mining and Quarrying (c)	440 5	347 11	422 3	334 4	379 9	356 11	414 6
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	346 10	347 1	344 9	345 7	358 9	356 4	347 3
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	340 11	337 7	334 6	327 5	342 4	332 9	338 1
Food, Drink and Tobacco	346 10	356 8	336 11	334 5	356 9	343 7	347 3
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	351 8	338 7	323 1	340 8	348 3	341 7	341 4
Paper, Printing, etc.	368 7	376 2	381 3	363 2	403 2	348 3	372 0
Other Manufacturing	346 0	339 4	330 5	336 7	343 10	340 8	341 6
All Manufacturing Groups	347 10	346 10	339 3	342 6	355 0	347 6	346 5
Building and Construction	356 5	361 3	332 11	340 8	354 0	347 5	351 6
Railway Services	347 3	325 9	341 5	329 10	340 11	349 8	338 11
Road and Air Transport	358 8	344 11	324 2	334 2	353 0	345 8	347 5
Shipping and Stevedoring (d)	343 7	343 5	339 11	342 8	339 5	339 10	342 3
Communication	386 5	382 11	381 2	380 7	381 8	377 3	383 7
Wholesale and Retail Trade	352 2	354 8	346 10	338 1	353 6	348 5	350 11
Public Administration and Professional	348 10	342 5	332 9	327 0	340 1	347 6	341 9
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	340 5	327 0	323 10	326 4	341 8	333 1	333 3
All Industrial Groups (a)	355 3	349 1	343 7	341 0	354 6	348 4	350 5

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TABLE 17 - MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES

INDUSTRIAL GROUPS (a), 31ST JULY, 1960 - (Continued)

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	AUST.
INDEX NUMBERS							
(Base : Weighted Average Weekly Wage Rate, Australia, 1954 = 100)							
Mining and Quarrying (c)	155.9	123.2	149.5	118.4	134.5	126.4	146.8
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	122.8	122.9	122.1	122.4	127.0	126.2	123.0
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	120.7	119.5	118.4	115.9	121.2	117.8	119.7
Food, Drink and Tobacco	122.8	126.3	119.3	118.4	126.3	121.7	123.0
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	124.5	119.9	114.4	120.6	123.3	120.9	120.9
Paper, Printing, etc.	130.5	133.2	135.0	128.6	142.8	123.3	131.7
Other Manufacturing	122.5	120.2	117.0	119.2	121.7	120.6	120.9
All Manufacturing Groups	123.2	122.8	120.1	121.3	125.7	123.0	122.7
Building and Construction	126.2	127.9	117.9	120.6	125.3	123.0	124.5
Railway Services	123.0	115.3	120.9	116.8	120.7	123.8	120.0
Road and Air Transport	127.0	122.1	114.8	118.3	125.0	122.4	123.0
Shipping and Stevedoring (d)	121.7	121.6	120.4	121.3	120.2	120.3	121.2
Communication	136.8	135.6	135.0	134.8	135.1	133.6	135.8
Wholesale and Retail Trade	124.7	125.6	122.8	119.7	125.2	123.4	124.3
Public Administration and Professional	123.5	121.2	117.8	115.8	120.4	123.0	121.0
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	120.5	115.8	114.7	115.5	121.0	117.9	118.0
All Industrial Groups (a)	125.8	123.6	121.7	120.7	125.5	123.3	124.1

(a) Excludes Rural. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends. (c) For mining, the average rates of wage on which index numbers are based are those prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. (d) For shipping, average rates of wage on which index numbers are based are for occupations other than masters, officers and engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of keep, where supplied.

TABLE 18 - MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a)

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Wage Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding Overtime), as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Index Numbers of Wage Rates

Date	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	AUST.
RATES OF WAGES (b)							
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
31st December, 1945	122 6	121 1	118 1	116 0	120 4	115 7	120 7
" " 1949	171 5	168 5	165 2	164 5	168 4	164 4	168 8
" " 1950	206 2	201 9	195 2	197 11	200 7	198 0	202 0
" " 1951	250 2	240 6	229 11	236 0	241 6	238 3	242 5
" " 1952	280 2	270 8	258 6	270 10	275 6	272 3	273 2
" " 1953	287 4	278 7	264 8	273 6	283 8	283 4	280 2
" " 1954	293 3	284 10	275 7	281 7	287 2	287 8	286 10
" " 1955	305 3	295 7	283 6	285 0	300 1	293 7	297 0
" " 1956	322 9	309 7	302 9	296 4	312 10	313 11	313 0
" " 1957	324 6	316 0	304 4	306 11	321 7	318 6	317 5
" " 1958	328 8	319 8	317 8	312 4	324 0	323 3	322 8
30th September, 1959	338 2	334 1	327 3	327 9	330 2	336 6	334 0
31st December, 1959	349 0	343 9	334 1	339 1	339 7	345 10	343 10
31st March, 1960	353 1	348 9	338 6	340 4	343 11	346 9	347 11
30th June, 1960	354 8	348 11	342 6	340 8	349 1	348 2	349 6
31st July, 1960	355 3	349 1	343 7	341 0	354 6	348 4	350 5

(a) Excludes Rural. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends.

TABLE 18 : MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a) - (Continued)

Date	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUSTRALIA
INDEX NUMBERS (Base : Weighted Average Weekly Wage Rate, Australia, 1954 = 100)							
31st December, 1945	43.4	42.9	41.8	41.1	42.6	40.9	42.7
" " 1949	60.7	59.6	58.5	58.2	59.6	58.2	59.7
" " 1950	73.0	71.4	69.1	70.1	71.0	70.1	71.5
" " 1951	88.6	85.2	81.4	83.6	85.5	84.4	85.8
" " 1952	99.2	95.8	91.5	95.9	97.5	96.4	96.7
" " 1953	101.7	98.6	93.7	96.8	100.4	100.3	99.2
" " 1954	103.8	100.9	97.6	99.7	101.7	101.9	101.6
" " 1955	108.1	104.7	100.4	100.9	106.3	104.0	105.2
" " 1956	114.3	109.6	107.2	104.9	110.8	111.2	110.8
" " 1957	114.9	111.9	107.8	108.7	113.9	112.8	112.4
" " 1958	116.4	113.2	112.5	110.6	114.7	114.5	114.3
30th September, 1959	119.7	118.3	115.9	116.1	116.9	119.1	118.3
31st December, 1959	123.5	121.7	118.3	120.1	120.2	122.5	121.7
31st March, 1960	125.0	123.5	119.9	120.5	121.8	122.8	123.2
30th June, 1960	125.6	123.5	121.3	120.6	123.6	123.3	123.8
31st July, 1960	125.8	123.6	121.7	120.7	125.5	123.3	124.1

(a) Excludes Rural.

TABLE 19 : MINIMUM HOURLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a)

Weighted Average Minimum Hourly Rates payable and Index Numbers of Hourly Rates

Date	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUSTRALIA
RATES OF WAGE (b) (Pence)							
31st December, 1945	33.64	33.05	32.63	31.72	32.83	31.71	33.05
" " 1949	51.53	50.58	49.62	49.40	50.65	49.30	50.66
" " 1950	61.96	60.58	58.60	59.44	60.35	59.42	60.70
" " 1951	75.23	72.21	69.01	70.89	72.72	71.57	72.87
" " 1952	84.23	81.24	77.56	81.38	82.98	81.82	82.08
" " 1953	86.41	83.66	79.41	82.16	85.46	85.22	84.21
" " 1954	88.24	85.59	82.79	84.63	86.51	86.60	86.26
" " 1955	91.89	88.87	85.22	85.68	90.50	88.45	89.36
" " 1956	97.07	92.99	90.95	88.99	94.23	94.45	94.09
" " 1957	97.57	94.90	91.32	92.17	96.87	95.75	95.37
" " 1958	98.82	96.00	95.42	93.79	97.57	97.17	96.97
30th September, 1959	101.63	100.33	98.25	98.42	99.37	101.10	100.35
31st December, 1959	104.91	103.23	100.25	101.80	102.18	103.95	103.30
31st March, 1960	106.13	104.73	101.60	102.18	103.54	104.23	104.53
30th June, 1960	106.61	104.78	102.83	102.28	105.12	104.70	105.03
31st July, 1960	106.78	104.83	103.18	102.40	106.79	104.73	105.28

(a) All industrial groups except Rural and Shipping and Stevedoring. The former is not included in the Minimum Wage Rate Index and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of hourly wage rates are not available.

(b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends.

TABLE 19 : MINIMUM HOURLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a) - (Continued)

Date	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUSTRALIA
INDEX NUMBERS (Base : Weighted Average Hourly Wage Rate, Australia, 1954 = 100)							
31st December, 1945	39.6	38.9	38.4	37.4	38.7	37.3	38.9
" " 1949	60.7	59.6	58.4	58.2	59.7	58.1	59.7
" " 1950	73.0	71.4	69.0	70.0	71.1	70.0	71.5
" " 1951	88.6	85.1	81.3	83.5	85.7	84.3	85.8
" " 1952	99.2	95.7	91.4	95.9	97.7	96.4	96.7
" " 1953	101.8	98.5	93.5	96.8	100.7	100.4	99.2
" " 1954	103.9	100.8	97.5	99.7	101.9	102.0	101.6
" " 1955	108.2	104.7	100.4	100.9	106.6	104.2	105.3
" " 1956	114.3	109.5	107.1	104.8	111.0	111.2	110.8
" " 1957	114.9	111.8	107.6	108.6	114.1	112.8	112.3
" " 1958	116.4	113.1	112.4	110.5	114.9	114.5	114.2
30th September, 1959	119.7	118.2	115.7	115.9	117.0	119.1	118.2
31st December, 1959	123.6	121.6	118.1	119.9	120.4	122.4	121.7
31st March, 1960	125.0	123.4	119.7	120.4	122.0	122.8	123.1
30th June, 1960	125.6	123.4	121.1	120.5	123.8	123.3	123.7
31st July, 1960	125.8	123.5	121.5	120.6	125.8	123.4	124.0

(a) All industrial groups except Rural and Shipping and Stevedoring. The former is not included in the Minimum Wage Rate Index and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of hourly wage rates are not available.

TABLE 20 : BASIC WAGES : WEEKLY RATES, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 1960

Particulars	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	Six Capitals
COMMONWEALTH BASIC WAGE (a)							
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Adult Males	283 0	275 0	258 0	271 0	276 0	282 0	276 0
Adult Females	212 0	206 0	193 6	203 0	207 0	211 6	207 0
STATE BASIC WAGES							
	s. d. (b)	s. d. (c)	s. d. (d)	s. d. (e)	s. d. (f)	s. d. (g)	s. d.
Adult Males	288 0	275 0	273 0	271 0	292 3	282 0	..
Adult Females	216 0	206 0	188 0	203 0	219 2	211 6	..

(a) Payable as from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after 11th June, 1959.
(b) Payable as from the beginning of the first pay-period in August, 1960.
(c) During June and July, 1959, Wages Boards adopted the Commonwealth basic wage rates.
(d) Payable as from 1st August, 1960.
(e) Payable as from 15th June, 1959.
(f) Payable as from 25th July, 1960.
(g) Most Wages Boards adopted the Commonwealth basic wage rates from July, 1959.

VI. INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES

Comparative figures for earlier years will be found in Part V of Official Year Book No. 46, 1960

TABLE 21 - INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a) : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS - STATES

Quarter Ended 30th June, 1960

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (b)
Number of Disputes							
Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coal Mining	55	-	12	-	-	-	67
Other Mining and Quarrying	2	-	3	1	-	-	6
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	26	1	7	3	1	-	38
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Food, Drink and Tobacco	2	1	5	1	1	-	10
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Paper, Printing, etc.	2	-	1	-	-	-	3
Other Manufacturing	9	-	3	-	-	-	12
Building and Construction	9	6	-	1	-	-	17
Railway and Tramway Services	1	1	1	-	-	-	3
Road and Air Transport	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Stevedoring	37	8	12	2	6	12	82
Shipping	2	2	1	1	2	1	9
Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other Industries (c)	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
TOTAL:	151	19	45	9	10	13	253
Workers Involved (d)							
Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coal Mining	8,818	-	665	-	-	-	9,483
Other Mining and Quarrying	3,871	-	743	780	-	-	5,394
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	10,276	114	5,460	146	90	-	16,086
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	53	-	-	-	-	-	53
Food, Drink and Tobacco	1,412	707	1,350	965	570	-	5,004
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	45	-	-	-	-	-	45
Paper, Printing, etc.	784	-	337	-	-	-	1,121
Other Manufacturing	1,880	-	881	-	-	-	2,761
Building and Construction	518	902	-	84	-	-	1,523
Railway and Tramway Services	700	466	19,940	-	-	-	21,106
Road and Air Transport	28	-	-	-	-	-	28
Stevedoring	19,296	17,906	8,420	5,149	5,477	4,457	61,288
Shipping	626	550	180	150	104	100	1,710
Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	7,500	-	-	-	-	-	7,500
Other Industries (c)	3,100	-	-	-	-	-	3,100
TOTAL:	58,907	20,645	37,976	7,274	6,241	4,557	136,202
Working Days Lost							
Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coal Mining	13,004	-	1,567	-	-	-	14,571
Other Mining and Quarrying	7,755	-	2,356	342	-	-	10,453
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	14,514	114	3,208	267	270	-	18,373
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	27	-	-	-	-	-	27
Food, Drink and Tobacco	2,068	700	2,250	332	1,394	-	6,744
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	45	-	-	-	-	-	45
Paper, Printing, etc.	8,471	-	280	-	-	-	8,751
Other Manufacturing	4,853	48	1,234	-	-	-	6,135
Building and Construction	2,723	1,468	-	84	-	-	4,313
Railway and Tramway Services	4,400	58	20,564	-	-	-	25,022
Road and Air Transport	201	-	-	-	-	-	201
Stevedoring	15,169	16,640	4,808	2,173	4,965	3,499	47,763
Shipping	2,223	1,912	270	530	338	350	5,623
Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	7,500	-	-	-	-	-	7,500
Other Industries	14,666	-	-	-	-	-	14,666
TOTAL:	97,619	20,940	36,537	3,728	6,967	3,849	170,187

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more. (b) Includes disputes occurring in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Communication; Finance and Property; Wholesale and Retail Trade; Public Administration and Professional Services; and Amusement, Sport and Recreation. (d) Includes workers indirectly involved. See note (b) to Table 22.

TABLE 21 - INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a) : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS - STATES (continued)

Quarter ended 30th June, 1960

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(b)
	Estimated Loss in Wages (£)						
Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coal Mining	52,906	-	6,691	-	-	-	59,597
Other Mining and Quarrying	47,550	-	7,986	1,248	-	-	56,784
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	58,218	393	12,489	1,058	500	-	72,658
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	84	-	-	-	-	-	84
Food, Drink and Tobacco	6,971	2,050	7,060	1,250	3,592	-	20,923
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	180	-	-	-	-	-	180
Paper, Printing, etc.	32,634	-	687	-	-	-	33,321
Other Manufacturing	19,098	170	4,371	-	-	-	23,639
Building and Construction	15,164	5,846	-	294	-	-	21,450
Railway and Tramway Services	11,600	212	71,270	-	-	-	83,082
Road and Air Transport	959	-	-	-	-	-	959
Stevedoring	60,678	66,560	19,364	8,692	19,883	13,996	191,201
Shipping	8,760	6,986	950	1,900	1,252	1,250	21,098
Hotels, etc. and Personal Service	25,000	-	-	-	-	-	25,000
Other Industries (c)	35,000	-	-	-	-	-	35,000
TOTAL:	374,802	82,217	130,868	14,442	25,227	15,246	644,976

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more. (b) Includes disputes occurring in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Communication; Finance and Property; Wholesale and Retail Trade; Public Administration and Professional Services; and Amusement, Sport and Recreation.

TABLE 22 - INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a) : AUSTRALIA

Period	Number	Workers Involved			Working days lost	Estimated loss in wages (£)
		Directly	Indirectly (b)	Total		
1947	982	280,718	46,419	327,137	1,338,728	1,898,085
1948	1,141	301,025	16,124	317,149	1,662,686	2,299,114
1949	849	260,720	3,857	264,577	1,333,990	2,611,536
1950	1,276	391,481	40,220	431,701	2,062,888	4,166,418
1951	1,344	380,421	28,171	408,592	872,974	2,256,028
1952	1,627	488,178	17,556	505,734	1,163,504	3,439,850
1953	1,459	483,800	12,246	496,046	1,050,830	3,337,437
1954	1,490	355,580	14,494	370,074	901,639	3,021,211
1955	1,532	424,340	20,307	444,647	1,010,884	3,310,321
1956	1,306	414,590	13,393	427,983	1,121,383	3,967,061
1957	1,103	325,995	11,048	337,043	630,213	2,308,622
1958	987	275,573	7,276	282,849	439,890	1,590,603
1959	869	229,469	8,002	237,471	365,039	1,377,220
1958 - June Quarter	240	89,377	1,833	91,210	104,765	376,301
September "	290	63,505	1,242	64,747	113,798	406,243
December "	188	30,439	3,071	33,510	67,415	258,557
1959 - March "	196	40,823	1,835	42,658	93,727	349,079
June "	234	54,717	1,705	56,422	83,112	314,753
September "	248	66,623	1,476	68,099	99,738	383,562
December "	191	67,306	2,986	70,292	88,462	329,826
1960 - March "	249	80,092	1,807	81,899	114,137	437,283
June "	253	135,723	479	136,202	170,187	644,976

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more.
(b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishment where the stoppage occurred, but not themselves parties to the dispute.

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